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Re: Freedom of Information Act Request – 20-FOI-00035

Your October 24, 2019 request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) was received via e-mail by Amtrak's FOIA Office on October 24, 2019.

Your request seeks information about Amtrak's use of millimeter wave scanning technology that is manufactured by companies such as ThruVision and QinetiQ, and Amtrak's testing of this technology in cooperation with the Transportation Security Administration. Specifically, you are requesting the following documents:

1. Any documents describing the scope, duration, or location of millimeter wave technology tests with the TSA;
2. Copies of any reports or assessment written describing the results of the tests;
3. Any policies describing how the technology is used, and any legal analyses or studies that may have been carried out which deal with the technology; and
4. A copy of all technical documentation regarding the technology. Please search your records for user manuals, maintenance or service manuals, studies or reports, spec sheets or data sheets, or any other such documentation.

Your request has been classified as a Category II – that is, a request from the media. Requesters in this category receive the first 100 pages of reproduction free of charge. Thereafter, requesters are charged 25 cents per page for reproduction of records.

We are working through our backlog of requests. The estimated date for a response to your request is February 28, 2020.

If you have any questions regarding the processing of your request, please feel free to contact me at [foiarequests@amtrak.com](mailto:foiarequests@amtrak.com). For ease of reference, your request has been assigned tracking number **20-FOI-00035**.

Sincerely,

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